

IN RECOGNITION OF “RAYONTA WHITFIELD”

WHEREAS, Rayonta Whitfield is a native of Augusta, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, he began his boxing career at the age of 12 at the Augusta Boxing Club and is now an accomplished athlete in the Light Flyweight division; and

WHEREAS, Rayonta is currently ranked #1 by the U.S. Olympic Committee and is on this years Pan-American Team; and

WHEREAS, he was a recipient of the The Michael Nunnally Award in 2002, one of the greatest honors that can be bestowed on a boxer for his all-around performance both in and out of the ring; and

WHEREAS, Rayonta Whitfield is an outstanding boxer who has earned numerous achievements in his boxing career.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bob Young, Mayor of the City of Augusta, do hereby proclaim May 21, 2003 to be “RAYONTA WHITFIELD DAY” in Augusta, Georgia and urge all citizens to recognize this day.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, Georgia to be affixed this 21st day of May 2003.